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## M'DERMOTT.

**Candidate For Lieutenant Governor Pays Tribute to Germans and Irish.**

**Pleads For Elevation of Private Family and Public Life.**

**What Ireland Did For Germany in Early Christian Era.**

## HIGH IDEAL FOR BOTH RACES

Probably the largest gathering of Germans ever assembled in one place in Kentucky was that which poured into Newport last Sunday for the celebration of "German day." There were fully 10,000 people present, and when Hon. Edward J. McDermott, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, arose to speak on the Germans and the Irish he was greeted by an outburst of applause lasting several minutes. Mr. McDermott spoke in both German and English and said in part:

"As I was just saying in the German part of my speech, my father was an ardent son of Ireland who settled in Louisville in 1833, and my mother was a Kentuckian. By her I was sent in my childhood to a German Catholic school that I might learn the German tongue. Years afterward, when I had finished my studies at the High School here, I studied at the Queen's College in Ireland and at the University of Goettingen in Germany, and thus I learned to admire and love both nations. To the superficial observer they are widely different, but in essentials they have much in common and, in America, they ought to be fast friends. England's dread of American influence and German power has done much in late years to hasten the dawn of some rule in Ireland. The secret and open efforts that have been made of late to make England and America allies and to prejudice Americans against Germany have been due to the strong rivalry that is being developed of late between England and Germany in foreign commerce and in naval strength. As the English navy for a long time has been stronger than the navies of any two powers of Europe, but is being slowly overtaken by the German navy, England lately proposed a limitation upon the building of new ships. When she failed in that effort she eagerly sought to promote international arbitrations, because the burden of naval construction has become almost unbearable. America has no immediate concern in these European rivalries or quarrels and we ought to maintain a fair and impartial attitude toward all the nations of Europe. In that wish the Germans and Irish can agree."

"In the early ages of the Christian era the Germans were free and brave and passionately fond of personal independence, but as their different tribes were often at war with each other, they were at times subdued by the Romans and later by the hordes of barbarians from the East. The Irish, in those early ages, were less exposed to foreign invasion, but their bold, warlike chiefs kept Ireland also too much in strife. Slowly the nation rose in the scale of civilization and, after St. Patrick taught them the Christian religion, they earnestly cultivated learning and from the fifth to the sixth century Ireland became the school of Europe and was called "the Island of Saints and Scholars." Hallam, the great English historian, says that from the sixth to the eleventh century "the most remarkable man" in a literary and philosophical sense was John Scotus, an Irishman. While the rest of Europe was distracted by almost continuous war, Ireland's monastic cloisters were thronged by learned monks and by students from every civilized land. One hundred and fifty-five Irish saints were recorded and venerated in the churches of Germany and large numbers in other churches of Europe. Later the fierce, roving Danes from the western coast of Europe overran and pillaged a great part of Ireland and internal dissensions completed the further ruin of her schools and universities and finally, because of these internal dissensions, the English were able to ruin and enslave her. In the Middle Ages the Germans built up the Holy German Empire and long dominated Europe, but internal dissensions and foreign conquests at last sapped the strength of Germany and she lost her power. The empire was broken up into petty, discordant States that had to submit often to foreign insults and invasions until the genius of Bismarck and Von Moltke once more welded the nation into a united empire. The dawn of a brighter day is now breaking upon Ireland and her aspirations for self-government, if not for absolute freedom, will soon be gratified."

After paying tribute to the virtues, spirit, literature and bravery of the Germans, Mr. McDermott concluded: "Something of this German spirit we must foster in America today. We must strive to create and preserve higher standards. The purity of family life, the sanctity of marriage, the rights and duties of parents, the need of elementary education for the many and the higher learning of

gifted men, the liberty of the individual, purity and economy in governmental affairs must be themes that will arouse our high enthusiasm and make us better men and better citizens. We must purify and elevate private life, family life and public life. While we want to compete with the world modestly for wealth and glory, we must not sacrifice for this purpose the essential virtues so indispensable for the preservation of our race, our political institutions and our civilization. To maintain this high ideal let us hope that the men of German and Irish blood, like our best citizens of every nationality, will do their full duty to increase the well-deserved blessings, power and fame of the republic which to all lovers of liberty shines resplendently like the evening star in the west."

## OLLIE'S LATEST

**Says Wraiths Foretold His Marriage to Two Parties.**

Former acquaintances and residents of this city who have reason to remember Ollie Speckert will be somewhat amused when they read the following from the Seattle Post-Intelligencer:

With hosts of friends from the spirit world, as declared by the groom, and eleven earthly associates as witnesses to the ceremony, Miss Ida Michaels and A. J. Speckert were united in marriage at 202 Windsor apartments at 8 o'clock last night by Rev. P. C. Mills, a Spiritualist for fifty years. They will go to Victoria and Vancouver today for their wedding journey. When asked the customary questions by the pastor, the groom replied: "Insofar as the spirits who guide and control me direct." The bride was of a more earthly turn of mind and spoke up without hesitation, "I do."

Topics of spirit phenomena were freely discussed immediately after the arrival of the guests, each contributing some incident of so-called interference or direction of the spirit world in human affairs. Thirteen persons were at table when the wedding supper was served, a number, as stated by several pressmen, carrying great good fortune. "I have no doubt," said the groom, "that my spirit guides, and all the good spirits are here with us tonight. They told me two years ago that I would walk and talk with Miss Michaels and that this happy day would surely come." Mrs. Lou E. Cole, a bride of a month, declared when she and Mr. Cole were married hosts of flower-lovers in the spirit world came to their home and decorated the walls and furniture with blooming roses. "The good spirits of all of us here," she declared, "are present, and I have no doubt that they have already decorated these walls in honor of the occasion, or that they will before the party breaks up for the night. You who possess clairvoyant power look around you and see if my words are not true." None of the members of the party, however, had sufficiently developed the gift of clairvoyance to see spirit flowers on the walls and all said so.

"The spirits have just told me," said the groom, "that we shall all be here two years from now, sitting down to a banquet in honor of the new Temple of Light, which we shall build within that time." As head of the spiritualist movement in Washington, Mr. Speckert declares that the wraiths of departed friends last year told him to wed a widow, prominent in the church, who was willing to expend the principal portion of an ample fortune left her by her first husband to aid the movement, but that later the same friends "over the divide" counseled him that Miss Michaels and he should marry, and that both heeded the behest.

## READY.

**A Big Day Tomorrow For All Members of the Y. M. I.**

Mackin Council, Y. M. I., has completed every arrangement for the celebration tomorrow of its eighteenth anniversary, which will begin at the 7:30 o'clock mass at St. Anthony's, when the members will approach holy communion in a body. In the afternoon Mackin and the visitors will attend solemn vespers at St. Cecilia's church, and then will follow a reception at the club house, to which all members of the Y. M. I. are cordially invited. A pleasant evening is promised all who attend the reception, when an abundance of refreshments will be served. Large delegations from Trinity and Unity Councils are looked for, as special attention will be given them. Monday night there will be an anniversary reception and dance for Mackin's members and their lady friends. The responses indicate a large attendance and one of the most brilliant social gatherings of the season.

## BARDSTOWN.

Congressman and Mrs. Ben Johnson, of Bardstown, have announced the engagement of their attractive and accomplished daughter, Miss Hendy Russell Johnson, to Lee Hamilton. The wedding will take place in the fall and will be one of the most notable of the year. Miss Johnson has frequently visited Louisville and has been much admired here and in Washington for her many lovable traits of character.

## UNIONISTS

**Will Bury the Hatchet in Common War Against Home Rule.**

**Leaders on Both Sides Make Extensive Preparations for Battle.**

**The Campaign Will Begin in Earnest the Last of This Month.**

## SPREAD LITERATURE BROADCAST

In a cablegram to the American press Philip Everett, a well known correspondent, tells about the home rule situation as it appears to him, and says:

At present even the most sturdy Tory must admit that his party is in a state of terrible discord and confusion after the utter defeat on the veto bill, but in less than three weeks the great home rule campaign will begin, and prominent Unionists assert that the opening of it will see the forces of Unionism a solid homogeneous body once more. I had a talk a few days ago with Mr. Steel-Maitland, chief organizer of the Unionist party, who took a very optimistic view of the future and said: "Unionists, despite their differences over the last phase of the Parliament bill, will bury the hatchet and join forces in the great fight against disunion. Active preparations are now being made on both sides for the forthcoming battle, and every effort is being made to perfect both the Unionist and Radical organizations. I have not the least hesitation in stating that the differences between the 'Surrender' and 'No Surrender' sections of the Unionist party will be forgotten when the time for action arrives."

"It must be remembered that the difference between them was one of method, not principle. The menace of home rule will effectively heal the split, for that great issue comes before party or sectional dissensions. With regard to the campaign itself, I am afraid that it is impossible to give details at the moment, but you may rest assured that the party will not be behindhand when the time arrives for the question to be thrashed out before the country."

"We are not allowing the grass to grow under our feet, and everything is being done to strengthen and perfect our forces."

The anti-home rule campaign will be the feature of the autumn political season, to be opened at Belfast on September 23. On that day Sir Edward Carson, M. P., the Chairman of the Irish Unionist Parliamentary party, and Vice President of the Unionist Council, will address a mass meeting at Belfast. All the Ulster members are expected to be present.

On the following Monday, the twenty-fifth, the council of the party will meet to discuss the plans of the campaign, which is to be organized not only in Ireland, but also in England. In Ireland it will of course take the form of preparations to deal with home rule when carried into effect. In England it will be carried on by political propaganda.

Even at the present time a certain amount of political work is being undertaken by anti-home rule speakers. Their efforts are being specially concentrated on "doubtful" constituencies. Immovable Radical seats are to be left alone, as are also those pronounced Conservative.

Another correspondent cables that in England, beside the old Home Rule League, a special organization, being formed of members of the House of Commons and candidates, directly under the supervision of the Master of Filbank, the chief Liberal whip. This organization also will specialize on furnishing free speakers to the various constituencies, while the Home Rule League has announced that in addition to its programme of platform exposition it will prepare a huge supply of convincing home rule literature to be spread broadcast over territory usually dominated by Toryism.

## TOOK THE LEAD.

For the first time in its history the Trades and Labor Assembly of Syracuse allowed a drum corps to lead the first division of the Labor day parade. For several years past they have marched in labor's ranks on that day. The House of Providence Drum Corps has led the members of Typographical Union for the past three years and again marched ahead of that organization. It is needless to say that the youngsters looked their best as they swung into line when the word to march was given.

## SUMMER SCHOOL CLOSES.

With appropriate remarks fitting the occasion the lecture course of the twentieth session of the Catholic Summer School of America at Cliff Haven will be closed today by the Rev. John Talbot Smith, LL. D., of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y. Several of the cottages and the Champlain Club will remain open until the latter part of the month, thus providing for those wishing to enjoy the pleasant Sep-

tember days at Cliff Haven. Rev. D. J. Hickey, LL. D., President of the school, is spending a week in Brooklyn, but will return to formally close the session. Right Rev. Monsignor M. J. Lavelle, V. G., of St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City, spent a few days at Cliff Haven this week.

## CINCINNATI.

**All Ready For the Fifth National Eucharistic Congress.**

Cordially inviting all Bishops, priests and laity who can at all do so to wend their way to Cincinnati to attend the Eucharistic Congress, Archbishop Moeller says:

"I appreciate the honor accorded Cincinnati by being chosen as the city for the fifth national Eucharistic Congress. It will open in the Cathedral church on Thursday, September 28, and close at Norwood Heights on the afternoon of Sunday, October 1. This congress, being only national, will not of course be of the same magnitude as were the Eucharistic Congresses of Montreal and Madrid, which were international. It is my earnest hope, however, that the Cincinnati congress will go down in history as one of the grandest among the national Eucharistic gatherings, and be a magnificent public manifestation of faith, love and devotion to the Blessed Sacrament on the part of the Catholics of the United States."

The following will be the programme for the entire congress: September 28.—9 a. m.—Procession and Pontifical mass, celebrant, Most Rev. Henry Moeller, Archbishop of Cincinnati; sermon, Most Rev. John Ireland, Archbishop of St. Paul; subject, "The Eucharist, the Complement of the Incarnation." 11 a. m.—Paper by Rev. Joseph Selinger, S. T. D., St. Louis, subject, "The Real Presence;" discussion, Rev. A. P. Ternes, Detroit.

2:30 p. m.—Paper by Rev. John Cavanaugh, C. S. C., Ft. Wayne, subject, "The Priest and the Eucharist;" discussion, Rev. J. H. Rohde, Rockford; Rev. H. Guendling, Ft. Wayne.

Each evening.—In all the city churches the Holy Hour, during which a short exhortation or meditation on the Blessed Sacrament is recommended, and benediction.

September 29.—9 a. m.—Pontifical mass. Celebrant, Right Rev. Henry J. Richter, D. D., Bishop of Grand Rapids; sermon, Right Rev. James J. Hartley, D. D., Bishop of Columbus; subject, "Why We Believe in the Eucharist."

11 a. m.—Paper by Right Rev. Edward D. Kelly, Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit; subject, "Belief in the Eucharist Prior to the Reformation;" discussion, Right Rev. John J. Lawler, St. Paul.

2:30 p. m.—Paper by Right Rev. Monsignor Joseph Rapier, Milwaukee; subject, "Effects of Communion on Adults, Particularly Converts;" discussion, Rev. Christydom, O. F. M., Cincinnati; Rev. Joseph Meekel, Alton. Paper by Right Rev. Monsignor William F. McQuaid, Boston, subject, "Frequent Communion and the Means of Promoting It;" discussion, Rev. F. A. Roell, Indianapolis; Rev. Gilbert P. Jennings, Cleveland.

September 30.—9 a. m.—Pontifical mass. Celebrant, Right Rev. Denis O'Donoghue, Bishop of Louisville; sermon, "The Eucharist, the Center of Catholic Life." Rev. Joseph Schrems, Toledo.

11 a. m.—Paper by Rev. Joseph Husslein, S. J., Milwaukee; subject, "The Advantages of Early and Frequent Communion;" discussion, Rev. J. B. O'Connor, O. P., Newark; Rev. J. D. O'Neill, Chicago.

October 1.—10:30 a. m.—Pontifical mass. Celebrant, Most Rev. John M. Farley, Archbishop of New York; sermon, Most Rev. James H. Blunk, Archbishop of New Orleans; subject, "The Individual and Social Necessity of Eucharistic Faith."

3 p. m.—Solemn procession of the Blessed Sacrament and benediction on the grounds of the archiepiscopal residence at Norwood Heights. Sermon, Rev. Robert B. Condon, La Crosse; subject, "Emmanuel or God with us."

The sessions of the congress at which the papers will be read will be held in Cathedral Hall and presided over by the Right Rev. Camillus P. Maes, General Director of the Priests Eucharistic League.

## INTO ETERNAL REST.

With feelings of deepest regret the many friends of E. J. and Mary Mann, of 704 East Chestnut street, learned of the death of their five-year-old son, Raymond J. Mann, following a short illness. The little fellow was unusually bright and precocious for one of his years, and his presence brought only sunshine into the happy home. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon, when friends and relatives tenderly laid the remains to rest in St. Louis cemetery. For the bereaved parents there is consolation in the knowledge that an angel awaits them in the realms of eternity.

## IRELAND'S TRAMWAYS.

Ireland is not behind in municipal ownership. The street car system of Belfast is owned and operated by the city. Every part of the work connected with the building of a tram car can be carried out at the works except the trucks and electrical equipment, which are imported from the United States. The Dublin street car or tramway system is said to be chiefly owned by a Catholic named Murphy, who also owns a Dublin daily.

## POLITICS.

**Republican Leaders Demoralized and Quarreling Among Themselves.**

**Evening Post Interested in State Candidates and Herald For Local.**

**Senator Bradley Will Probably Drop Out of the State Campaign.**

## LOOKS EASY FOR LOCAL TICKET

The Kentucky State campaign for the State offices is warming up considerably and the Democratic Campaign Committee is much pleased over the outlook, while on the other hand the Republicans are very gloomy concerning their prospects, and day by day are offering excuses for Judge O'Rear's speeches, that gentleman being guilty of putting his foot in it every time he opens his mouth.

The Democratic organization this year is one of the best ever had, good men in every town volunteering their services, with the result that a splendid precinct organization will be established all over Kentucky. The Republican papers can not even get together on their campaign stories, as for instance the Louisville Herald stated that only a handful of people heard Gov. McCreary's opening address at Bowling Green, while the Evening Post conceded that there was a crowd of 5,000. Then, again, the Post takes a dig at Senator Bradley every now and then, being for O'Rear first, last and all the time, while the Herald is very strong for Senator Bradley and will not take it very hard if O'Rear is defeated, knowing that the Post would set all the plums under an O'Rear administration.

As we predicted before, watch for the clash next week when the O'Rear people attempt to sidetrack Robert L. Harris for the nomination for the Legislature in the Eighth and Ninth wards. O'Rear has pledged himself to beat Harris, and if he does Senator Bradley will surely eliminate himself from the Republican campaign and will not even make the two short speeches he promised. The Post does not want the local Republicans to make nominations for the municipal offices because the old-line Republicans are in the saddle, one of them stating to a representative of the Kentucky Irish American that the Post could go to a very warm place as far as they were concerned, and that they did not intend to take any advice from the Post in any matter whatever, and say that the cause of their downfall in the past has been listening too much to the Post and its Fusion allies, who have been grabbing all the offices in sight with most of them going to renegade Democrats.

In this the Fifth district the Democrats are more than pleased with their prospects, Mayor Head's splendid administration being a big factor in contributing to this situation, and the members of the General Council will be indorsed with a renomination. The caliber of the men announcing for the Legislature is very pleasing to the campaign managers here, and is sure to add strength to the ticket, among them being Charles Knight from the First ward, Henry Wallington, Peter Goebel and Adam Spahn from the Second and Third wards, Le Roy Curtis and Shirley Cuniffe from the Fourth and Fifth wards, Peter Lee Atherton from the Sixth and Seventh wards, William A. Perry from the Eighth and Ninth wards, William McNally from the Tenth ward and Sam L. Robertson and Dr. P. Trunell from the Twelfth ward. And as a headliner for the local ticket James Quarles for the Chancery Court is all that could be desired.

## PRESENT FOR FLYNN.

John J. Flynn, recently appointed assistant master mechanic of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company at South Louisville, was the recipient of a handsome diamond ring from the employees of the company at Nashville, where he was formerly general foreman. Mr. Flynn left Louisville for New Orleans six years ago, and was presented with a handsome diamond stud by the men of Louisville. He stayed at New Orleans during the last yellow-fever plague to look after the interests of the company. He was afterwards moved to Mobile, where he served the company for two years. Upon leaving Mobile he was given a handsome watch and chain and beautiful silver service.

## WOULD SHORTEN ROUTE.

According to a dispatch from Dublin definite steps are being taken to bring the proposal for a three and a half days Atlantic passage to an issue. This announcement is made by Robert Worthington, the Irish financier and promoter of the scheme for the construction of a new harbor at Galway, on the west coast of Ireland, as part of the larger plan. Although there is an alternative scheme—centered on Blackrock Bay,

on the northwestern side of Mayo—supported by another syndicate, the Worthington scheme is the one most likely to go through. Three great railway companies, the Midland & Great Western, the Great Southern of Ireland and the London & North-western of England have joined forces in this Worthington enterprise, while Worthington is reported to have received guarantees of subsidies from Sir Wilfrid Laurier, representing the Canadian Government, and Sir Edward Morris, on behalf of Newfoundland.

## SURPRISE

**For Father Martin O'Connor On Return Home.**

The Rev. Martin O'Connor, who returned last week from Ireland, was the recipient of a most agreeable surprise when he arrived at the rectory of St. Michael's church on Brook street. Father O'Connor found every room in the parochial residence artistically decorated and furnished with handsome new chairs, folding desk, etc. A fine bath room, with hot and cold water, was also arranged in a most convenient place. Father F. O'Connor appreciates a good thing and wishes to express his sincere thanks to the members of the congregation for the work done, which will contribute immensely to his comfort.

The knowledge that Father O'Connor was home served to fill St. Michael's church at both masses on Sunday, when everybody wanted to welcome him home. The good people enjoyed his trip and returned prepared for a continuance of the earnest work that has marked his pastorate since coming to St. Michael's.

To the Kentucky Irish American Father O'Connor said he noted marvelous changes in Ireland, and all for the better. The people are now better housed, clothed and fed than when he left there forty years ago. Those who visit Ireland now are struck by the number of new and cosy homes to be seen everywhere and the evidences of prosperity, sobriety and morality. The people all follow John Redmond and the Irish party, being confident that they will ere long have home rule and a government of their own. Notwithstanding all he saw and the good time he enjoyed, Father O'Connor says Louisville and Kentucky is the place for him.

## ELKS OWE APOLOGY.

**Local Order in Danger of Losing Good Reputation.**

The local lodge of Elks certainly should make restitution and offer an apology to their patrons who were victimized by the bets pledged last Monday, and of which the local daily papers have not had the courage to criticize in behalf of the public or call to the attention of the Elks who had no part in this outrage. A running race with five entries was one of the afternoon's features, and an official programme stated that the race would be conducted under the rules of the State Racing Commission, regular race horses, licensed jockeys, official starters, etc., and bets were accepted in pari-mutuel style, single tickets fifty cents each. Bets were received in any amounts from that figure up and some were made as high as \$20. The men who accepted the bets pledged their word that the race was to be conducted fairly, which shows that they were used as dupes, and after the race when the winners on the three different horses crowded about the stand clamoring for their money they were powerless to explain. Every cent of money bet by both winners and losers was confiscated and turned over to their charity fund, which was regarded by some of the Elks as being very humorous, but the men who wagered amounts like \$2, \$5, \$10 and \$20 are dense enough not to see the humor. One man stated that he knew "charity" covered a multitude of sins, but not that of obtaining money under false pretenses. Col. R. W. Brown has personally made good some of the money wagered, but the Elks should make restitution and apologize to every victimized speculator or run the risk of losing their good name and reputation.

## WEDDING BELLS.

A happy courtship and marriage will be consummated next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. Louis Bertrand's church, when Miss Mary Rose Kerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kerr, will become the bride of George E. Blandford. Following the church ceremony there will be a reception at the home of the bride's parents. The young couple are well known and held in high esteem by a wide circle of friends, who wish them a life of unalloyed happiness and prosperity.

## CONVERT LEAGUE.

The regular quarterly meeting of the members of the Catholic Convert League will be held Thursday evening, September 14, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 816 South Fourth street. All interested in learning the objects and works of the league are invited to attend the meeting. The printed copies of the constitution are now ready for distribution among the members.

## BLESSING

**And Dedication of St. Augustine's New Church For Colored People.**

**Bishop O'Donoghue and Father Raffo Will Preach Sermon.**

**Also the Twelfth Anniversary Rev. Father Felten's Pastorate.**

## FOUNDED BY BISHOP SPALDING

Tomorrow morning the new Church of St. Augustine for colored Catholics, on West Broadway, near Thirteenth, will be dedicated and blessed by the Right Rev. Denis O'Donoghue, Bishop of Louisville, with all the solemn and brilliant ceremony of the Catholic church, and will mark another epoch in the progress of the colored Catholics of this city. The new church is an imposing structure of brick and stucco, and surmounted by a belfry and cross that add greatly to its appearance. The new church was erected under the supervision of the Rev. Francis Felten, the pastor, who was also the architect, and when furnished will be one of the handsomest churches of its size in this part of the country. It will long stand as a monument to the zeal and energy of Father Felten and serve as a design for churches in other dioceses.

The dedication and blessing of St. Augustine will take place at 9:30, with Bishop O'Donoghue officiating. Following these impressive ceremonies there will be a solemn high mass, with Father Felten as celebrant, at which the Bishop will preach the sermon. All the clergy of the city have been invited and those who can will lend their presence and assist at the high mass. In the evening at 8 o'clock there will be solemn vespers, when the sermon will be preached by Rev. Charles P. Raffo, the eloquent pastor of St. Charles Borromeo church. After vespers Father Felten will entertain the clergy in the new and handsome rectory adjoining the church. For both morning and evening services a special musical programme has been arranged, which will be augmented by St. Augustine's band. This splendid colored musical organization has been granted the use of the hall and will discourse music there the greater part of the day.

The fact that tomorrow Rev. Father Felten will enter upon the thirteenth year of his pastorate at St. Augustine's will make the celebration a double one and will add no little interest to the occasion. His work during these years is apparent and has won for him the esteem and support of the people of the entire city.

St. Augustine's church for colored people was founded by the Most Rev. John Lancaster Spalding, then a priest in this diocese, in 1863, the church being located on West Broadway, just below Fourteenth. Ten years ago Father Felten erected another and larger structure on the site of the old edifice, and here his congregation worshiped until the present time. The congregation continued to grow in numbers, and therefore this spring work was begun on the new edifice, which will be large enough to meet all requirements for many generations to come. The main auditorium has a seating capacity of about 700, and with the galleries there is accommodation for perhaps 1,000 persons. Upon the east side of the church there is a gallery, which on week days will be converted into three school rooms. There is also a gallery on the west side, where is located St. Anthony's chapel, while over the main entrance will be the organ loft and a spacious choir gallery. Under all is a basement, which has been converted into a fine hall, with stage, dressing rooms and the most up-to-date equipment. The church and residence will be lighted by electricity, and the illumination of the church will not be surpassed by any other in the city, the fixtures being very beautiful.

The entire cost of the church residence, which contains three rooms, will approximate \$35,000. With the church from the railroad and the plants that surround St. Augustine's congregation, Father Felten are to be congratulated on their achievement.

## ARCHBISHOP'S

While no definite announcement has been made, it is believed that the fiftieth anniversary of Ireland's entry into the priests under the charge of Father Felten will be celebrated on December 2, being ordained

## TAKEN

The Rev. F. J. Govern, O. P., of St. Louis, arrived here on Saturday and has taken charge. Father Felten has been ever had.



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## TEACHERS' PENSIONS.

Every taxpayer should oppose the proposed scheme for pensioning school teachers. This pension business has already gone too far. Our teachers are well paid and work short hours, and if they fail to save of their earnings for old age or the rainy day it is their fault alone. Under these circumstances we are at loss for a substantial reason for making the teachers, who have been fully paid for their services, a burden on the taxpayers. And right here we would like to know if those women who have had to work longer hours and for less pay in stores and offices are not as much entitled to public assistance as are the more fortunate teachers? If the proposed scheme emanates from or is fostered by the present School Board, that body, which has been proceeding with a rather high hand, should be swept out of existence. Too much time and thought has been given to subjects that have nothing to do with education, for which the people are already paying more than they think. With the schools in the hands of a pension ring, which would eventually result, their usefulness would be at an end.

The Post is greatly disturbed over the Democratic primary in Maryland last week, which nominated Arthur P. Gorman for Governor. After much labor the only fault it can find with him is that he is the son of his father, the late United States Senator Gorman, and that he had some friends among the liquor men of the State. Has the Post become so weak-minded as to believe that all good rests with the Republicans and prohibition?

## YOUR DUTY.

If anything were needed to strengthen the resolution of those voters who have made up their minds to support the Democratic ticket, which gives promise for honest and economical government, it would be the thinly veiled anxiety with which their intentions are regarded in Republican circles. Frantic efforts will be made by O'Rear, Powers and Langley to disparage the ticket and platform, to cast discredit on their aims, and to weaken the determination of their supporters. If those who are following the lead given by Messrs. McCreary and McDermott were calculating and self-seeking politicians these maneuvers might prove successful. But they will produce no effect on men who are moved by a profound sense of duty and who are resolved in this great and trying crisis to act at the bidding of conscience. The accusation that these voters are yielding to mere passion and impulse is utterly unfounded. They have considered the issues at stake in a cool and sober spirit, and they have determined on their cause of action because they believe it to be the only one consistent with the good of the State and the loyal discharge of the duty that rests upon them. Knowing that O'Rear and his followers would destroy the safeguards which are necessary to the safety, honor and future welfare of Kentucky, it is almost inconceivable how any sensible man could vote for them. It is now up to all who have the interests of the Grand Old Commonwealth at heart to remember its motto and oppose the tyranny of the Republican machine, with whom the wishes of the people count for nothing.

## DRAWS COLOR LINE.

The blessing tomorrow for the church for Catholic is not amiss to of Father Phelan in Watchman. Every emphasizes the fact the church never e, and then adds: negroes are not would make very of the faith. In tholies of the Cardinal Gibbons an and Farley distinguished pre- at the Catholic e colored people by pointing to ctions of Mary- h has a very e, the one almost e other almost Among the Cath-

olic negroes infractions of the law are almost unknown—the jails are empty, the judges very rarely have a prisoner brought before them. In the Protestant district the very reverse is the case—crimes and numerous misdemeanors—showing that Protestantism is not strong enough to control the evil tendencies of the negro population. And the contrast, indeed, is so striking that non-Catholics who are fully aware of it have wondered that we Catholics have not pointed to these facts as proof of the church's power over the negro and the helplessness of Protestantism. The church, we know, has the truth, and she has also the grace of the sacraments. We do not wonder that she has the power."

## WILSON MADE FRIENDS.

The San Francisco Monitor and the Portland Catholic Sentinel note editorially the recent visit of Gov. Woodrow Wilson. The Monitor declares many persons who welcomed him to California look upon the Governor as a future President of the United States. Speaking of him as a Presidential possibility the Sentinel says:

"Woodrow Wilson's transcontinental speech-making tour has heightened public interest in the New Jersey Governor's availability as a Presidential candidate. Gov. Wilson has some advantages over other possible Democratic candidates. Coming as he does of a Southern family, the South takes to him very kindly. As the South has furnished the bulk of Democratic votes in recent years it may take it into its head to dictate the nomination of its candidate. Gov. Wilson has another element of availability in that he has friends and followers in both Democratic camps, Brynmite and 'reactionary.' During his recent Western trip the 'progressives' in his party received him with real enthusiasm. Yet, the 'original Wilson booster' is Col. George Harvey, of the Harper publications, who abhors Bryanism and all its works."

Mayor Head is to be congratulated for calling a halt in the rough-riding of the K. and I. Bridge Company over the rights of the West End citizens. The Kentucky Irish American called attention to the methods of this grasping corporation a year ago when they tore down a citizen's property on West Chestnut street before even getting permission from the proper authorities.

Congratulations to the Rochester Catholic Citizen on its ninth anniversary. Ably edited and well printed, it is a bright and interesting publication, a credit to Rochester and Western New York. May it, its editors and publishers enjoy the increased growth and prosperity they so well deserve.

Texas is a big State and will have no difficulty in finding a man big enough to fill the place of United States Senator Joseph Bailey, who has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election. Joseph must realize that the people know when they have had enough.

People wonder why the Indiana Catholic editor has only sneers and ridicule for John Redmond and the Nationalist party. That paper, has thrown suspicion upon every movement the Irish Parliamentary party has made since the veto fight began.

The collections at all the masses in the churches tomorrow will be the diocesan offering to the Holy Father. Bishop O'Donoghue and the clergy hope this offering will be a generous one.

## SEEING CHICAGO SIGHTS.

Lawrence Smith, widely known in Irish-American society circles and for the past thirty-one years with the Chess-Wyomond Company, left Sunday to spend a two weeks' vacation in Chicago. He has many friends in the Windy City, and expects to see all the sights within walking distance.

## CASINO-ORPHEUM.

For next week the Casino and Orpheum motion picture houses promise a series of entirely new journeyings to other lands and scenes that should prove an interesting travel festival. The programme will also include pictures bubbling with humor and mirthful situations and are a roar from start to finish. At both the newest illustrated songs will be sung.

## SOCIETY.

Mrs. John Cronan visited relatives in Frankfort last week.

Miss Rose Weist has returned from a six weeks' tour of the West.

Miss Matt Hayes was last week the guest of Miss Mary Taylor at Springfield.

William and George Kearns left Tuesday to attend school at Springfield College.

Miss Lella Turner has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Cornwall, at Irvington.

Miss Theresa Hogan has been visiting in Indianapolis, the guest of Miss Helen Jones.

Miss Nellie B. Hannan has returned from a five weeks' stay in Northern Michigan.

Miss Margaret Flynn was this week a guest of the Graham Springs Hotel, near Harrodsburg.

Miss Lillian Kearns has returned after a visit of several weeks to Atlantic City and New York.

George W. Holland is still confined to St. Joseph's Infirmary, but is able to receive friends.

Miss Irene Freville left this week for Nazareth Academy, where she will complete her education.

Misses Nellie and Florence Barrett were recent visitors to the Misses Foley at Pewee Valley.

John G. Krul, the West Chestnut street druggist, who has been ill for some time, is improving rapidly.

Miss Marie Maloney has been spending the past week at Springfield, the guest of Miss Susie Pope.

Miss Katie May Murphy returned Tuesday after a month's trip through Yellowstone Park and the West.

Miss Elizabeth Coyle returned Saturday, after an enjoyable visit with Miss Ella Tyler at Mt. Washington.

John T. Hickey, Seventh and Oak, has been enjoying a season of rest and recreation at West Baden Springs.

Miss Katherine Stier, who has been visiting at Owenton, was this week the guest of Mrs. W. J. Clarke at Sparta.

Mrs. Michael Higgins and daughter Katherine, of South Louisville, returned Saturday from a visit to relatives at Nolin.

William Hession, a popular Illinois Central fireman, has been spending the past two weeks at Atlantic City and New York.

Misses Mary Green and Esther Biggers left last week for a visit to Miss Green's sister, Mrs. C. H. Talbot, at Bardstown.

Misses Catherine Hickey and Catherine Cline are home from Mansfield, Ohio, where they spent two weeks visiting friends.

Among those from this city who registered last week at Grayson Springs were Mrs. J. P. Dant and Misses Marie and Louise Dant.

Miss Catherine Burke, who visited Prof. and Mrs. A. A. Voight in Jeffersonville last week, has returned to her home in Washington, Ind.

Miss Anna Reilhan has just returned from a two weeks' visit to San Antonio, Texas, where she was the recipient of much social attention.

Misses Margaret Pfanz and Marie Gibbs are home from Springfield, where they spent a delightful week as the guests of Miss Elizabeth Neal.

Miss Virginia Slattery entertained informally Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Marie Louise Michot, of Louisville-Memphis Catholic Journal.

Judge Walter P. Lincoln and Mrs. Lincoln and daughter, Miss M. Adams Lincoln, who had been at Virginia Beach for six weeks, have returned.

Miss Rose Cunningham has just returned from an extended Eastern trip. While away she spent two weeks in Boston and two weeks in New York City.

Dr. M. Casper and wife and Miss Alice Casper have returned from Grayson Springs, where they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. F. Casper, of Cannelton, Ind.

Miss Mary Condron, who was operated on last week at St. Joseph's Infirmary, is now at her home at Seventh street and Florence Place, and has almost entirely recovered.

Mrs. Michael C. Thornton, 1522 East Elm street, New Albany, has been entertaining this week in honor of Misses Julia McHugh and May Schaff, visitors from Indianapolis.

Prominent Kentucky people visiting in New York last week were R. J. Curran, Mrs. J. M. Joyce and Mrs. J. E. Roche, of Louisville, and W. Quinn and Miss Quinn, of Henderson.

Misses Josie and Agnes O'Hearn, of Jeffersonville, accompanied by their niece, Mary Catherine Craig, have returned home after several weeks' visit to relatives in Chicago, Milwaukee and Fond du Lac.

Miss Mary Ridge, who was the guest of Mrs. W. D. Williams at Bedford, Ind., for two weeks, motored to Indianapolis with Mr.

and Mrs. Williams to attend the Indiana State Fair before returning home.

Mrs. John J. Barrett, Miss Lillian Barrett, Mrs. Sauter, Miss Elizabeth Sauter and Miss Maria Merrimee and niece, Miss Ethel Ray, were members of a merry house party last week at the home of Mrs. Charles F. Breckel at St. Matthews.

William H. Holden and wife and daughter, Miss Catherine, left Monday for their home at Terre Haute, Ind., after a week's visit to John Holden and family, 1715 Harney street. While here the visitors were honor guests at several receptions.

A happy marriage was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at the Sacred Heart church, when in the presence of many friends and admirers Rev. Father Walsh united Miss Mary Beatty and William Detchen, well known and popular young people of the West End. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a honeymoon trip to the North, and upon their return will go to housekeeping in a cosy new home in Grainger Court.

Miss Agnes Carr, of 1112 Garvin Place, was hostess at a linen shower at her home Monday evening in honor of Miss Mary Beatty, whose marriage to William Detchen took place Wednesday morning. Those present were Misses Mary Beatty, Elsie Detchen, Elma Beatty, Katherine Connell, Nellie Connell, Florence Rihm, Nora, Lillian, Rose and Catherine Killoran, Edna Drazile, Dorothy Morris, Jennie May Conner, Mary O'Conner, Gertrude McClain; Messrs. Owen Milligan, Ernest McClain, Raymond Willis, Edward Hourigan, Robert O'Reilly, William Goering, John O'Conner, and Messrs. Ethel Thompson, Mary Lawler, Mary Praetorius, Mayme Smith, Elenora, Teresa and Agnes Carr.

A delightful birthday party was given Owen V. Nelligan in honor of his thirteenth birthday anniversary last Sunday at his home, 1528 Lytle street. Those present were Misses Mayme Goering, Irene O'Reilly, Julia Filben, Catherine Filben, Florence Rihm, Nora, Lillian, Rose and Catherine Killoran, Edna Drazile, Dorothy Morris, Jennie May Conner, Mary O'Conner, Gertrude McClain; Messrs. Owen Milligan, Ernest McClain, Raymond Willis, Edward Hourigan, Robert O'Reilly, William Goering, John O'Conner, and Messrs. Ethel Thompson, Mary Lawler, Mary Praetorius, Mayme Smith, Elenora, Teresa and Agnes Carr.

## CHANGES.

Rev. Father Joseph Flynn Succeeds the Late Father Major.

The Rev. Father W. T. Whearty, who for the past eight months has been assistant pastor of St. Peter's church in Lexington, has been appointed pastor of the Catholic church at Georgetown, where he will succeed Father Joseph Flynn. The latter will become pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd at Frankfort to succeed Father Thomas S. Major, who died recently. Father Charles Schulte, who was assistant pastor of the latter church during the illness of Father Major, has been appointed to succeed Father Whearty as assistant pastor at St. Peter's in Lexington. The changes were made by Bishop Maes and became effective this week.

ROUTINE.  
Mackin Council Holds Big Meeting and Hears Reports.

Mackin Council met Monday night with another good attendance, though nothing but routine business was transacted. President Robertson occupied the chair and kept things moving for early adjournment. A number of sick claims were reported as improving. The committee arranging for the anniversary celebration reported what had been done thus far, and the programme announced was received with feelings of satisfaction. No date was set for the next initiation, but it is certain to take place as soon as cool weather sets in. The Social Club announced that its fall series of reception dances would be inaugurated September 21, and the number of applications already filed indicate a larger membership than ever before. Secretary Frank Adams and Treasurer W. A. Link stated that the receipts would swell the treasury, as all members were coming forward and making full settlement of dues and assessments.

## ELABORATE DECORATION.

Archbishop Moeller has sent to Catholic rectors of Cincinnati archdiocese instructions directing them to ring the bells of all churches for five minutes at 9 o'clock on the morning of September 28, in honor of the National Eucharistic Congress that convenes at Cincinnati on that day. He also ordered that the exterior of every church be festooned during the four days of the convention. An artistic bronze medal to commemorate the occasion and to identify delegates has been designed and will be worn during the congress. A view of St. Peter's Cathedral in relief adorns one side of the medal, while the Catholic doctrine of the Blessed Sacrament is symbolized on the reverse.

## BURKE GOT THERE.

Vincent C. Burke, one of the popular clerks at the local Post-office, attended the national convention of the Federation of Post-office Clerks at Des Moines this week, and was honored by being elected First Vice President of the organization. The other officers were re-elected.

## TO MY LITTLE NIECE, BIRDIE.

I have watched beside your cradle, Birdie,  
Watched your little dimple chin,  
Like I used to do your mamma,  
When a tiny little thing;  
Saw the angels whispering to you,  
For you would listen for awhile,  
Then affection's beams light up your face  
And blossom in a smile.

May you guardian angel always  
Watch closely by your side,  
Whispering words of love and duty,  
Be your guard and constant guide,  
Let your conscience be its dwelling place.  
Make your mamma the telephone,  
So she can whisper to her Birdie,  
From your guardian's sacred home.  
P. Finegan.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

The Knights of St. Louis have now a boys' choral society. It numbers 128 members and tuition is free. It is expected 150,000 will be in the parade when the Columbus monument is unveiled in Washington next May. Milwaukee Knights are arranging for an initiation which it is proposed to make the largest ever held in Wisconsin. Rev. Father R. C. Ruff and Frank A. Geher will deliver short lectures at the local council meeting next Wednesday. All preparations are completed for the fourth degree exemplification at St. Louis on Columbus day. A big class will take the work. The local council will run a special train to Bardstown next Tuesday to attend the reception to the Most Rev. Diomedes Falconio, Papal Delegate, given by Bardstown Catholics. When the memorial to Columbus now planned is placed in position in front of the new Union Station in Washington it will be the first work of art to greet the eye of the traveler arriving there.

## FALL WORK.

Division 3 Will Inaugurate the First Hibernian Class.

Division 3, A. O. H., held a well attended meeting Monday night, when President Coleman obligated John Burke and John Cogan and received another application. Communications were received from Prof. Rohan, Chairman of the Irish History Committee; National President James Regan and State President George Donnelly, who are expected here this winter. President Coleman and Secretary Stevens were instructed to visit Division 1 and ask for the use of its hall for a big initiation on Tuesday, October 1, when the other Falls Cities divisions will be invited to be present and take part in the exemplification of the degrees of the order. Ex-President P. T. Sullivan delivered an interesting address on Catholic federation, and Thomas Quinn dwelt on the subject of securing new members. Others who responded with interesting talks were ex-State President George J. Butler, John M. Maloney, John Hession, Thomas Noon and John Karman.

## CATHOLIC FORESTERS.

Assisted by the reverend pastor, Father Pfeiffer, William Callaghan, the newly appointed organizer for the Catholic Order of Foresters, pulled off a unique event last Thursday evening at St. Helen's. A meeting of the men of the parish was called with the hope that a new court might be established in the district. Preparations had been made to have every applicant who signed the charter role to be examined immediately. Almost every man who attended the meeting signed and was examined the same evening by the six local medical examiners of the order. The new court will be formally installed within the next two weeks.

## THEY ARE OFF DUTY.

Policemen who will return to duty next week after a ten days' vacation are Corporal W. J. Sullivan, James O'Mara, Patrick Scally, A. C. Connelly, Mike Murray, John Mullane and Jerry Murphy. Among the number granted ten days the latter part of this month are Robert Milligan, Denny Smith, Dan Sheehan, J. M. Lyons, Jerry O'Hearn, Ebenezer Morgan, J. V. Hines, R. J. Murray and Capt. George Brown. The majority have planned trips to other cities.

## FESTIVAL.

All the societies of St. Joseph's church, Washington street, between Buchanan and Webster, will conduct a festival in the school hall on the afternoon and evening of September 21 for the benefit of the school. There will be numerous attractions and a good time for all who attend.

## HOPKINS' THEATER.

The great popularity of the Hopkins' Theater has made vaudeville an important factor in things theatrical in Louisville. Here the leaders in vaudeville have come to the fore, with the result that the offerings have been raised considerably, and incidentally the public demand has become more exacting. A rattling good bill of diversified features will be offered next week, each number of which will be presented in great style.

## HOLY NAME SOCIETY.

The Holy Name Society was founded by the Dominican fathers in 1274. It received Papal authority for establishing its branches January



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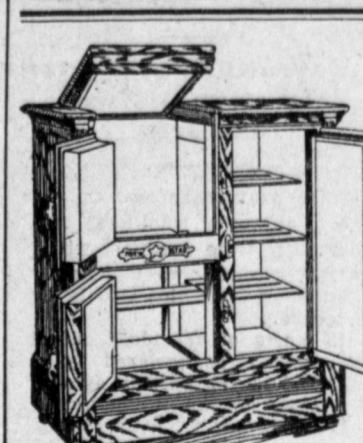
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## MELBOURNE'S ARCHBISHOP.

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## TAKE CARE.

"Young men should be careful not to marry young women who have more on them than in them," said Father Bernard Vaughan to a young men's club the other day. With prevailing female fashions that would seem to be quite impossible.

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**PROGRAMME**  
For the Reception to Be  
Apostolic Delegate  
Falconio.

The Most Rev. Diomed Falconio, D. D., Archbishop of Larissa and Apostolic Delegate to the United States, will arrive in Louisville next Tuesday morning, when he will be met by Bishop O'Donoghue, the clergy of the diocese and the Knights of Columbus, who will accompany him to Bardonia for the opening of St. Joseph's College. A special train will leave the Union Station between 7 and 8 o'clock and there will be ample accommodation for the laity who wish to attend. The official programme is as follows:  
8:30 a. m.—Knights assemble at Knights Columbus Hall and march to the depot. On arrival of train a procession will be formed and march to St. Joseph's church.  
10 a. m.—Solemn Pontifical high mass.  
12 noon.—Banquet at St. Joseph's College. His Excellency the Most Rev. Apostolic Delegate, the Right Rev. D. O'Donoghue, D. D., the clergy, the State Deputy, District Deputy and the Grand Knight of each council in the State.  
7:30 p. m.—Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament and Papal blessing.  
8 p. m.—Reception to His Excellency the Apostolic Delegate and formal opening of St. Joseph's College on the college grounds.  
During the afternoon the Apostolic Delegate will be shown the academies conducted by the Sisters at Nazareth, Loretto and Springfield.

**WAGE EARNER**  
Has Staunch Friend in the Catholic Federation.  
The Catholic position toward the wage earner is thus set forth by the Catholic Federation, and should forever silence the ravings of Socialists and others opposed to the true religion:  
Let the laws promote the welfare of the wage earner and the small independent producer and business dealer and let the idea of paternal responsibility be cherished as one of the foundation stones of American liberty.  
We sympathize with every legitimate effort to obtain a living wage, reasonable hours, protection of life and limb, workmen's just compensation, decent and healthful conditions in the home, shop, mine and factory and pledge our support to all legislative action instituted to this end.  
We deplore the evils of child labor, the conditions that compel women and girls to be employed away from their homes and the needless work of men and women on the Lord's day.  
We commend, when provided with proper moral safeguards, bureaus for the unemployed and lodging houses for workmen and homes for women and girls seeking employment or compelled to labor at a distance from their homes, and advocate the establishment of day nurseries under Catholic auspices. We also recommend co-operation with every proper civic agency to obtain legislation for the suppression and stamping out of white slavery.  
We protest against propagandas which teach class hatred; advocate confiscation of private property; make marriage a mockery; deny parental rights and responsibility, and proclaim State control and even ownership of the child.  
We recommend social study circles, lecture courses, social conferences, institutes for farmers, merchants and workmen, and laymen's retreats.  
We favor co-operation with the Central Verein in its vigorous promotion of social studies, and also recommend co-operation with the "Militia of Christ for Social Service" lately organized for the defense of the Christian order in society on the basis of a fundamental acceptance of the trade-union principle.  
We give our hearty endorsement to all unions in behalf of labor which are based on Christian principles. We appeal to the Christian leaders and membership of such organizations to foster and keep intact the conservative and just ideals for which trade unionism should always stand.

**HOME LIFE.**  
It is when the sun has gone down that the home influences become actual and potent. In opening the tender buds of young characters the light from the hearthstone is far more efficient than the sunlight. The distinctive characteristics of the home life are manifested more strongly when the labors of the day are ended and the family gathered for the fireside for the evening. One hour of evening home life is worth a month of the ordinary daily experience.  
**SPEAK KINDLY.**  
Speak kindly in the morning; it lightens the cares of the day and makes the household and all its affairs move along smoothly. Speak kindly at night, for it may be before dawn some loved one may finish his or her space of life for this world, and it will be too late to ask forgiveness.  
**MAKING SKIRTS.**  
In making a skirt the easiest way is to sew all of the seams and press them, except the back one; bind this on each side and leave open until skirt is entirely finished, even to the band; in fitting simply pin it together; one will find the work much easier to have it open in this way, and the binding prevents its stretching.  
**LATEST IN STYLES.**  
Paris seems unwilling to part with stripes.  
First fall suits are shown in coarse weaves.  
Peasant sleeves are noticed on many coat models.  
Black voile skirts are plentiful in early fall showings.  
The vogue of sashes becomes every day more emphatic.  
Uncurled feathers of every description appear on hats.  
The white corduroy skirt seems likely to be a fall favorite.  
The fashion of wearing a long, transparent coat of chiffon cloth is gaining in favor.  
Fashion makers everywhere express a strong preference for the continuation of the side jabot.  
Skirts are still short, only those for the most elaborate evening costumes having trains.  
Hats of velvet and velour are expected to be two of the strongest features of fall millinery.

**MOUNTAIN REPARTEE.**  
A court official in Missouri writes that in the mountainous district of that State a tall, gaunt specimen of the mountaineer, whose Christian name was Joshua, was recently arraigned in the criminal branch of the Federal court, on a charge of illicit distilling. During the proceedings, the Judge, in a friendly manner, turned to the defendant and remarked: "Your name is Joshua, is it? I suppose you are the man who commanded the sun to stand still." "No," was the quick response of the mountaineer. "I am the man who is charged with making the moon shine."  
**SOFT GINGER BREAD.**  
One cup of molasses, four table-spoons of melted butter, one teaspoon of soda, one cup of warm water, two cups of flour, one teaspoonful each of ginger and cinnamon. Add two well beaten eggs the last thing before baking.  
**MAKES SWEET BREAD.**  
One pint of mashed sweet potatoes, one-half cup of meat drippings, one teaspoon baking powder, one pint of corn meal, one-half teaspoon salt, two eggs; mix in a soft dough, bake in a moderate oven.  
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**LET THEM PLAY.**  
Let the children have their pleasures. Train them to be obedient, neat and to some extent orderly, and then let them have all the fun their busy brain can devise so long as it is harmless and innocent. Long after they have grown to womanhood, even after they have families of their own, they will look back to their childhood as the brightest oasis of their lives. Mother will be thought of as the dearest woman and father as the best man.  
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**ROSARY TIME.**  
At the fall of the night in Ireland, when spring in the land is fair,  
At the fall of the night in Ireland, when passionate June is there,  
When woods are ruddy in autumn or white with winter's time,  
At the fall of the night in Ireland, 'tis Rosary time.  
With book and beads in her fingers, the mother goes to her place,  
The holy candle beside her, the peace of God in her face,  
And out of a chosen corner the voices of children chime,  
At the fall of the night in Ireland, at Rosary time.  
Outside the song of the robin is stilled in its sheltered nest,  
The winds with their rainy sweetness are sighing themselves to rest;  
The earth with her ancient longing swings low to a minor rhyme,  
At the fall of the night in Ireland, at Rosary time.  
Oh, many a dream of beauty ennobles the lowest sod,  
And many a golden duty binds man to the feet of God,  
But the sorest passions of living is hushed to a chord sublime  
At the fall of the night in Ireland, at Rosary time.  
—Teresa C. Brayton.

**WAGE EARNER**  
Has Staunch Friend in the Catholic Federation.  
The Catholic position toward the wage earner is thus set forth by the Catholic Federation, and should forever silence the ravings of Socialists and others opposed to the true religion:  
Let the laws promote the welfare of the wage earner and the small independent producer and business dealer and let the idea of paternal responsibility be cherished as one of the foundation stones of American liberty.  
We sympathize with every legitimate effort to obtain a living wage, reasonable hours, protection of life and limb, workmen's just compensation, decent and healthful conditions in the home, shop, mine and factory and pledge our support to all legislative action instituted to this end.  
We deplore the evils of child labor, the conditions that compel women and girls to be employed away from their homes and the needless work of men and women on the Lord's day.  
We commend, when provided with proper moral safeguards, bureaus for the unemployed and lodging houses for workmen and homes for women and girls seeking employment or compelled to labor at a distance from their homes, and advocate the establishment of day nurseries under Catholic auspices. We also recommend co-operation with every proper civic agency to obtain legislation for the suppression and stamping out of white slavery.  
We protest against propagandas which teach class hatred; advocate confiscation of private property; make marriage a mockery; deny parental rights and responsibility, and proclaim State control and even ownership of the child.  
We recommend social study circles, lecture courses, social conferences, institutes for farmers, merchants and workmen, and laymen's retreats.  
We favor co-operation with the Central Verein in its vigorous promotion of social studies, and also recommend co-operation with the "Militia of Christ for Social Service" lately organized for the defense of the Christian order in society on the basis of a fundamental acceptance of the trade-union principle.  
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## HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

With Tom Dolan as Captain Division 1 will soon have the degree team it has long sought.

The new circular and application blank issued by the County Board is sure to bring good results.

Denver Council publishes weekly a list of visitors from other cities who register at the council building.

A lively time is promised at the meeting of Division 4 next Monday night, as their unfinished debate of two weeks' ago will be reopened.

The annual reunion of the nine divisions of Allegany county at Midland, Maryland, was preceded by a parade divided into six divisions.

Division 3 has made a good start for a season of activity. Let the others fall in line and the membership in the Falls Cities will be doubled.

The County Board held an interesting session last evening and received President Coleman's report in regard to National President Regan's visit this fall.

Two divisions and the Hibernian Rifles were prominent in the parade and exercises attending the cornerstone laying of the new St. Joseph's church at Newport, R. I.

There is much enthusiasm over the division lately organized at Dougherty, Iowa, which has prospects for a membership of 150 to 200 before the end of the year.

Three degree teams ought to be able to meet all the initiatory requirements for the coming winter. It is now up to the members to secure candidates and thus keep the teams going.

Thirty candidates were initiated Wednesday by the division at Janesville, Wis. State President Callan and Prof. Rohan, Chairman of the National Irish History Committee, witnessed the ceremonies.

The coming of National President Regan should be made the occasion of one of the largest Irish-American gatherings ever assembled in Louisville. From what we learn a genuine Kentucky welcome awaits him.

Dunkirk Hibernians have taken steps to have Regan's counts for Irish history. This study was added to the curriculum of St. Mary's Academy some time ago, but the State Regents have made no allowance. Local legislators are aiding the movement with hopes for success.

The ball of Ladies' Auxiliary 11 of San Francisco was a decided success. Mrs. T. P. O'Dowd, County President, led the grand march, escorted by Mayor McCarthy. On account of the unavoidable absence of Mrs. McCarthy, wife of the Mayor, a beautiful floral harp was sent her by the auxiliary.

## STATE FAIR.

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A glance at the programme will convince the most skeptical that the purely amusement feature of the coming Kentucky State Fair has not been overlooked by the management. During each night of the week in the magnificent live stock pavilion will be given free of charge a high class horse show, such an one as is seen at Madison Square Garden, New York, some features of which will be the four musical elephants, a "stunt" which will delight the young and the old, and the famous Lunette Sisters, in their mystifying and entrancing performance as bewildering dancers. Each afternoon in front of the grandstand will be presented the justly famed "loop the loop" and "jump the gap" act by Oscar Babcock, in which he actually loops the loop and then jumps a dangerous gap in his "flying machine." Each night in front of the grandstand the wonderfully beautiful spectacle, "Perry's Victory on Lake Erie," which will appeal to the patriotism of the on-lookers as well as their appreciation of the art of fireworks kings, will be given.

On Saturday afternoon a head-on collision between two monster locomotives, each weighing forty tons, will be provided. The two engines will be started under full heads of steam and permitted to crash together in full view of the audience. And "the Pike" will be usual by a bewildering array of lights, music, fun and frolic. The most up-to-date shows possible to secure will be provided, but the management has insisted that they should be moral and of a character to which no one could object. In addition Calliendo's great Italian band, with three vocalists of international reputation, will furnish music of a character which will satisfy the most exacting. Then there will be twenty trotting, pacing and running races on the half-mile track. All of this should provide sufficient entertainment in the lighter vein to please any Kentucky audience, for which none is too good.

## SIX GAMES MORE.

The Colonels will open a three-game series with Jimmy Burke's Hoosiers today, and with Louisville playing in their present improved form a close contest is expected in every game. If the Colonels put up their present snappy game of ball a goodly number of the fans will be present for the finals. Altogether this has been a disappointing year for the loyal rooters here, and if the Colonels want to make their hard

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## AVENUE THEATER POPULAR.

The Avenue Theater's new scale of prices has made good with the theater-going public, and crowded houses are the rule. For next week is announced "Black Patti" and her musical comedy of colored entertainers. "In the Jungle" is the name of the piece which this aggregation is appearing in, and it is said to deal out fun and music in real jungle style. For this engagement the entire second floor will be reserved for the colored patrons of the house.

## IS THIS SO?

The colored population of the United States numbers 9,000,000, of whom it is said only 200,000 are Catholics.

## IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of the Recent Events Cited From Exchanges.

The late George Mitchell, of Roscrea, left personal estate valued at more than \$31,500.

It is said that the extra police force stationed in Longford for a considerable time past will soon be discontinued.

Much regret was felt in Tipperary at the announcement of the death of William Doherty after a few days' illness.

At a recent meeting of the Carlow Board of Guardians Michael Governor was unanimously co-opted a member of that body.

Roderic Moore, national teacher, of Banagher, has been unanimously co-opted a member of the Birr District Council.

A youth named Patrick Bultin, son of a farmer and cattle dealer of Fethard, has been drowned while bathing in the Suir near Clonmel.

The death of Peter Hughes, J. P., of Lowart, removes another familiar figure. He was universally popular, and his unexpected demise is deeply deplored.

By twenty-three votes to thirteen recorded for an opponent, Mrs. Dora Duffy, of Strokestown, has been elected Matron of the Strokestown workhouse.

Two men named Patrick Coleman, a farmer, and John Allen, a laborer, were killed at Ballylanders, County Limerick, by lightning while engaged in making a hayrick.

In the recent thunderstorm a portion of the Presentation Convent at Ballyglass was struck by lightning, which shattered the eave gutters and the lightning conductor.

As a result of the recent L. G. Board inquiry into the congestion in house accommodation in Carrickmacross, the erection of twenty-five new houses has been sanctioned.

Potato blight has made its unwelcome appearance in the southern portion of County Sligo, which is probably the result of the recent thunderstorm and the torrential rains which followed.

When attending the fair at Blessington a farmer named Michael Dowling, of Brittas, dropped suddenly down on the footpath from the effects of sunstroke, and is lying in a very precarious condition.

Before Justice Loughran at the Newry Petty Sessions Matthew Rice, of Fathom Upper, County Armagh, was held on the charge of having fired a revolver at Thomas McNulty, of Kileen, with intent to kill.

The Mayor gave notice of motion at a meeting of Wexford Corporation that fifty houses be erected in the town under the housing of the working classes act, and that a complete system of main drainage be undertaken.

Much regret is felt by a very wide circle of friends at the death of Mrs. Margaret O'Regan, of Sixmilebridge, mother of James O'Regan, County Councillor. An immense cortege attended the funeral to the family burying ground at Ballysheen, Limerick.

The scarcity of water in Monaghan is causing the gravest concern to the Urban Council and the ratepayers generally. During the week the waterworks fountains have been in most cases cut off, and were it not for the old pumps and wells there is no knowing what the people would do.

A fatal outbreak of fire occurred in Waterford City at the Catholic institution for aged women. When the brigade arrived the flames had a strong hold on the buildings, and notwithstanding the best efforts of the brigade and a number of volunteer workers, one aged inmate, Margaret Burns, lost her life. All the others were got out of the building safely.

## INSPECTORS

Appointed For the Catholic Knights and Ladies.

At a meeting held last week District Deputy John J. Scora appointed the following inspectors for the local branches of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America: Charles J. Thoben, August Schmitt, Peter Richards, John B. Stickler, Mrs. Andrew Kast, B. M. Dillman, Michael McDermott, Edward Barrett, S. J. McElliot, Miss Kate Riordan, Miss Emma Fisher, Miss Mary Corcoran, Dr. Charles Edelen, Mrs. P. Richards, Dr. Peter S. Ganz, Mrs. D. Dougherty, Andrew Kast, Mrs. Burke and Emery Schaefer. These inspectors will meet with the District Deputy next Friday night, when they will receive final instructions as to their duties. The Knights and Ladies expect to soon inaugurate a campaign that will greatly increase the membership in the Falls Cities.

## SHERIFF EMLER RETURNS.

Sheriff Al M. Emler, who has been in Europe for the past two months, arrived home Wednesday, hale and hearty and in the best of spirits. The Sheriff visited his native town of Zeulenroda and spent fifteen days at Carlsbad. Sheriff Emler has a fund of new stories for his friends.

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